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## **DECLARATION OF INVENTOR JAMEEL SAYED UNDER 37 CFR § 1.132**

## I, Jameel Syed, hereby declare that:

- 1. I received a Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science from Osmania University, Hyderbad, India in 1999. I received a Master's Degree in Computer Science from The University of Houston, Clear Lake, in Clear Lake, Texas, USA in 2001.
- I have worked in the field of Computer Science for over five years. In particular, I 2. have been involved in enterprise security since 2000.
- I am currently employed by Schlumberger Technology Corporation as a Senior 3. Security Consultant.
- I am a listed inventor on the present application. 4.
- As one of at least ordinary skill in the art of enterprise security and computer 5. science, I would understand that the phrase "is active" to mean "while the application is running in memory". Therefore, the phrase "is active" is definite.
- As one of at least ordinary skill in the art of enterprise security and computer 6. science, I believe that the phrase "is active" was known and understood by others of

ordinary skill in the art of enterprise security or computer science to mean "while the application is running in memory" at the time the present application was filed.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Signed this 23 day of January 2006.

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